

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Ritzeler, et al.

Examiner:
RAO, Deepak R

Application No.: **10/642,970**

Art Unit: **1624**

Filed: **August 18, 2003**

Title: **Indole Derivatives or Benzimidazole
Derivatives for Modulating I κ B Kinase**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.312 AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

In response to a Notice of Allowance mailed on March 19, 2007, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments that follow, prior to issuance.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 10

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